

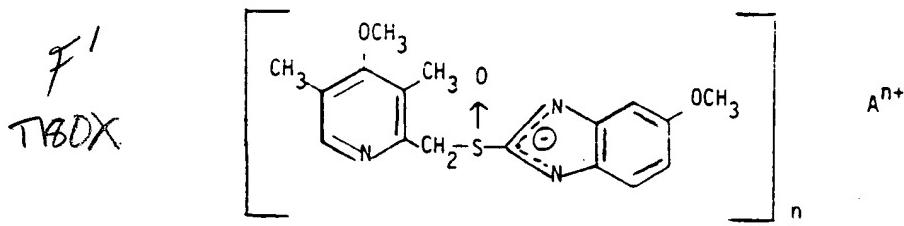
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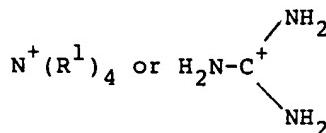
Please amend claim 1 to read as follows:

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1. *(Amended)* A compound of the formula



*P* ~~(1)~~ wherein n is 1, 2, or 4; and  $\text{A}^{n+}$  is  $\text{Li}^+$ ,  $\text{Na}^+$ ,  $\text{K}^+$ ,  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ , or  
 $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Ti}^{4+}$ ,

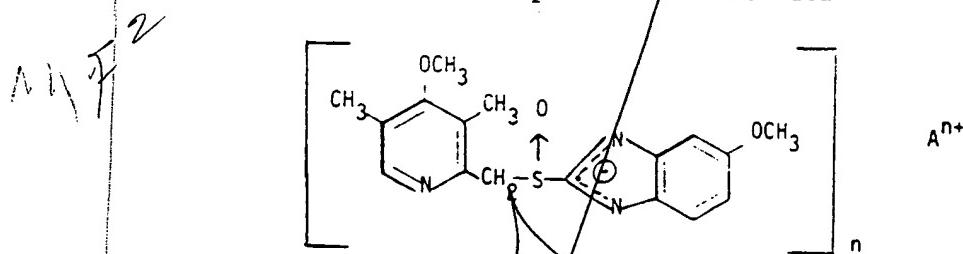


wherein  $\text{R}^1$  is an alkyl group containing 1-4 carbon atoms].

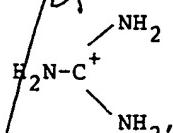
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Please add claims 32-36 as follows:

--32. A compound of the formula



wherein n is 1 or 4, and  $\text{A}^{n+}$  is  $\text{Ti}^{4+}$ ,  $\text{N}^+(\text{R}^1)_4$  or



wherein  $\text{R}^1$  is an alkyl group containing 1-4 carbon atoms.